

Senate Resolution 118

By: Senators Chapman of the 3rd, Johnson of the 1st, Williams of the 19th and Seabaugh of the 28th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Expressing regret at the passing of the Honorable Joe C. Strickland; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia lost one of its finest and most distinguished citizens with
3 the passing of the Honorable Joe C. Strickland; and
- 4 WHEREAS, he has long been recognized by the citizens of Woodbine and Camden County
5 for the vital role he played in leadership and jurisprudence and for his deep personal
6 commitment to the welfare of the citizens of Georgia; and
- 7 WHEREAS, he diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
8 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community as evidenced dramatically by his
9 many years of superlative service as an active member of the Methodist Church, head of the
10 Band Parents' Club, and charter member of the Woodbine Lions Club; and
- 11 WHEREAS, this extraordinary jurist served as Chief Judge of the Magistrate Court of
12 Camden County for 18 years; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Judge Joe was renowned for his significant organizational and leadership
14 talents, his remarkable patience and diplomacy, his keen sense of vision, and his sensitivity
15 to the needs of the citizens of his community, earning him the respect and admiration of his
16 colleagues and associates; and
- 17 WHEREAS, this singular gentleman was a person of magnanimous strengths with an
18 unimpeachable reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the passing of this generous, kind, and devoted family man leaves an unfillable
20 void in the hearts and lives of his family and friends.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 express their deepest and most sincere regret at the passing of the Honorable Joe C.
3 Strickland and commend him for a lifetime of efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated
4 public service.

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6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
7 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of the Honorable Joe C.
8 Strickland.